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in Texas  
March 10th 1895  
Miss Fannie Wilson  
it is to day I tak the  
pleaseure of dropping  
A few lines to let you  
know that I have not  
forgotten you yett  
and I hope you have not  
for gotten me do you  
remember What I asked you  
one night at your  
uncle Ben Crumpler  
when I asked you for your  
love

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on it a ? have you  
desided how you  
would anser the  
question please anser  
in my favor I told you  
that night that I loved  
you it may be that you  
dont believe what I say  
but it is so I expect you  
have forgotten me but  
Mr Mayo is all  
wright please dont let  
Mr Mayo write me  
while I am out heare

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as I dont now  
? I guess I had  
? close for this  
time When Rocks  
and hills divide us and  
you no moore I see Just  
take youre pin and  
papper and right A  
line to me

Be sure and direct your  
letter to Ben Franklin  
Texas

the road is long  
and lonsom the sea is  
wide and deep Just  
think of me Dear  
Fannie when I am  
not there to speak

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Well I'll Close by  
asking you to wright  
soon to your  
kind Friend  
J. H. Lewis  
John Henry Lewis